

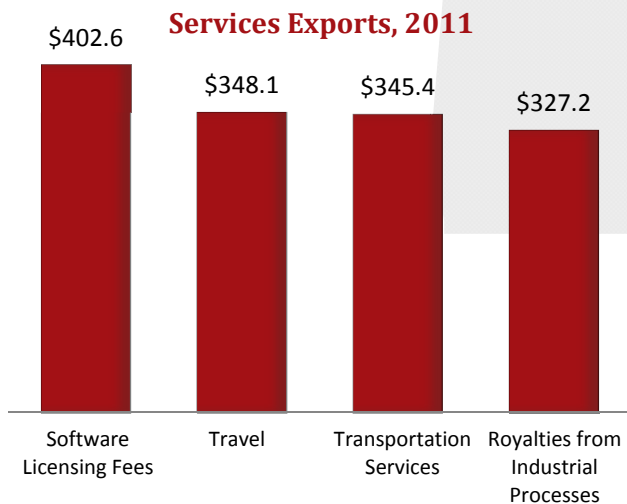


Minnesota and TTIP

Minnesota's economic relationship with the European Union is already strong, and a successful conclusion of the **Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP)** would contribute significantly to the state's future economic growth.

The EU purchased Minnesota goods worth \$4.1 billion (17 percent of goods exports) in 2012 and services worth \$3.1 billion (32 percent of services exports) in 2011.

Minnesota: Current Exports to European Union (\$ million)



Successful implementation of TTIP is estimated to increase Minnesota exports to the EU by 38.5 percent and could boost net employment by up to 15,170 jobs.

Estimated Impacts of Full TTIP Implementation on Key Minnesota Sectors

Top Sectors by Export Increase

Motor Vehicles	+\$1.7 billion
Electrical Machinery	+\$372 million
Chemicals	+\$283 million
Other Machinery	+\$267 million

Estimated Job Growth in Key Sectors

Other Services	+8,759 jobs
Business Services	+2,297 jobs
Personal Services	+1,850 jobs
Construction	+761 jobs

BOTTOM LINE: Since 2006, Minnesota's motor vehicle exports to the EU have increased by 17 percent. By reducing barriers to trade and investment, TTIP would facilitate future growth, increasing anticipated US motor vehicle exports by a further 350 percent.